

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States  
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Agriculture

Agricultural  
Marketing  
Service

DATE: September 15, 2005

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 160,000 pounds of turkey and turkey products at a cost of approximately \$194,000 for domestic food nutrition assistance programs to assist in the relief efforts for those displaced by Hurricane Katrina. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 510	No. of Bids Accepted
hams	160,000	\$1.2100	1 of 1

Next offers under Announcement PY-295 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
9	whole, bulk pack, roasts, and hams	Sept. 19	Sept. 23	Nov. 1-15
511	hams and roasts	Sept. 21	Sept. 23	Nov. 1-15

Total purchases of turkey and turkey products since the program was announced on April 29 follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
whole	988,000	\$ 826,000
bulk pack	10,296,000	\$7,039,000
roasts	5,120,000	\$7,511,000
hams	2,560,000	\$3,027,000

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for turkey and turkey products made today under Announcement PY-295, Invitation 511, to be delivered from Oct. 1 to Oct. 31, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295  
COMM GROUP : TURKEY, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 510

COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ  
PACK SIZE : 40-LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: CONAGRA FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : LONGMONT CO

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
002	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	80,000	\$ 1.2100
005	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	80,000	\$ 1.2100

TOTAL AWARDED: 160,000

In addition, on Sept. 14, the following awards were made under the Small Business Administration's 8(a) program:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295  
COMM GROUP : TURKEY, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 806

COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK  
PACK SIZE : BULK PACKED

CONTRACTOR NAME: IMPERIAL SALES CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : WATERTOWN SD

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
001	WATERTOWN SD	180,000	\$ 0.7499

TOTAL AWARDED: 180,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: MIL-RAY FOOD COMPANY, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : WATERTOWN SD

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
001	WATERTOWN SD	180,000	\$ 0.7499

TOTAL AWARDED: 180,000